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Marketing and
Regulatory
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Service

Washington, DC
20250

Please Note:

New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters). In addition, all Vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

FV-300

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: August 10, 2004

Canned Fruit, Announcement FV-300, Invitation 022

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned fruit as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in child nutrition program and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by **1 p.m., Central Time, Thursday, August 12, 2004**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, August 13, 2004. Deliveries are to be made from October 1, 2004 to December 31, 2004.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Canned Freestone Peaches

24/#2.5

50,400 cases

No offers will be made to 8(a) vendors on this invitation.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York, must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special marking will be indicated by (). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.**

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the Internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A 'HELP' button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-300, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Fruit dated April 2004, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.



Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement FV-300, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by single asterisk.

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV300
 INVITATION : 022
 COMM GROUP : 30 FRUIT, CANNED
 COMM TYPE : 23 PEACHES, FREESTONE, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 25 24/#2.5 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)

DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/04 - 10/15/04					
001	HUNTSVILLE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
002	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
003	HOMESTEAD	FL	TRUCK ONLY	329	_____
	NORTH MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	321	_____
	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	250	_____
004	RUSSELL SPRINGS	KY	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
005	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
006	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	600	_____
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	300	_____
007	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	KNOXVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
008	ELMIRA	MI		900	_____
009	HARTFORD	MI		540	_____
	WESTLAND	MI	TRUCK ONLY	360	_____
010	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
011	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
012	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
013	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	540	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	360	_____
014	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	_____

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015	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	900	
016	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	900	
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/04 - 10/31/04					
017	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	450	
	EAST HAVEN	CT	TRUCK ONLY	450	
018	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	450	**
	ELMIRA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	225	
	ROCHESTER	NY	TRUCK ONLY	225	
019	WASHINGTON	DC	TRUCK ONLY	900	
020	ELMIRA	MI		900	
021	BEAUMONT	TX	TRUCK ONLY	900	
022	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	
023	AUBURN	WA	TRUCK ONLY	900	
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/04 - 11/15/04					
024	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	450	
	EAST SYRACUSE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	225	
	LATHAM	NY	TRUCK ONLY	225	
025	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	274	
	TALLAHASSEE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	225	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		401	

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026	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	675	_____
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	225	_____
027	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	675	_____
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	225	_____
028	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
029	TYLER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
030	INDEPENDENCE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
031	MESA	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	238	_____
	SURPRISE	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	382	_____
	TUCSON	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	280	_____
032	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/04 - 11/30/04					
033	BANGOR	ME	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
034	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
035	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
036	ODESSA	TX	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____

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037	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	SIOUX FALLS	SD		450	
038	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/04 - 12/15/04					
039	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	BUFFALO	NY	TRUCK ONLY	225	
	MILLWOOD	NY	TRUCK ONLY	225	
040	BALTIMORE	MD	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
041	HILLSIDE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	442	_____
	VINELAND	NJ		458	
042	CHARLESTON	WV		900	_____
043	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	225	_____
	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	225	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		450	
044	EAU CLAIRE	WI		323	_____
	MADISON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	347	
	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	230	
045	CORPUS CHRISTI	TX	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
046	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
047	LITTLETON	CO	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	450	


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048	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
049	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
050	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
051	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
052	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____
053	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	900	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 50,400

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 Michelle Warren
 Contracting Officer

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